Leicester, 20th Apr. 2/67.

Dear Mr. Garrison;

20 As you said you hadn't seen the Circular of the London New Broad Street Committee, relating to the Paris Conference, I enclose you one which came to me lately. I have replied to it, & said to Mr. Chamerovzow, that it was probable that you would attend the Conference, that you would represent the whole American Anti-Sl: Movement, from its inception on the basis of "Immediate Emancipation" down to the adoption by the Nation of the Anti-Sl: principle, & its engrafting on the National Constitution; — also, that you would specially represent the "Am". Freedmen Commission", with others. —

I hope you will find it not too late to secure a berth for 16th May. — I saw in the "Independent" a paragraph to the effect that R. Purvis & Mary Grew would go (as you told me), — it also said that it was quite possible that W. Phillips would go. —

Was it you who told me of the prospect that Mary Estlin would come to America this summer? If so, can you tell me how you learned it, & the degree of probability of her coming?

– Well, Connecticut has gone over to A. Johnson & the Copperheads, and has returned to her old wallowing in the vomit of her negro-hate – The most "proiss" & the most contemptible of all the Northern States – Think of the majority New Haven County – seat of Yale College – gives to Democracy of the modern type! Old Windham County Stands firm, true, & honest.

With regards to Mr. Garrison

Truly Yours

Saml May Jr

P.S. Would it be worth while, – & would it be a help to you, – to have a paper drawn up and signed by leading Antisl. men & women in different parts of the country, in effect making you their Representative, and of the whole Movement? – to be headed say by Garrit Smith, S.J. May, – then Mr. & Mrs. Child, Mrs. Chapman, E. Quincy, John Jay, &c, &c

S. May Jr. Leicester, April 2, 1867.